

Application No. 10/614,480
Amendment Under 37 C.F.R. §1.312 dated May 2, 2006
Reply to the Notice of Allowance dated February 3, 2006

REMARKS

Status Of Application

Claims 1, 3-6, and 8-20 are pending in the application. Claims 1, 3-6, and 8-20 are allowed.

Amendments to the Claims

Claims 4, 6, 11 and 13 have been amended to correct minor errors of form. No new matter is added with this amendment. Applicant respectfully asks the Examiner to enter this Amendment and proceed with the allowance of all claims.

No New Matter

This Amendment is being presented promptly after the discovery of the need therefor. This Amendment does not affect the scope of the claims, does not introduce any new matter, does not present any new issue, does not require any additional search, and will not present an undue burden on the personnel of the Patent and Trademark Office. Accordingly, it is respectfully requested that the Amendment be entered in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.312.

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